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SUBJ: MEXICAN VISA FOR LABOR LEADER

FOR LABATT WALSH

1. PRES OF NEW NATIONAL CONFEDERATION OF CHILEAN WORKERS (ULC) EDUARDO RIOS ARIAS INFORMS LABATT NIXON HE HAS BEEN UNABLE OBTAIN REPLY FROM MEXICAN EMBASSY TO HIS REQUEST FOR VISA TO ATTEND ORIT CONGRESS CUERNAVACA, DESPITE REPEATED EFFORTS OVER PAST MONTH. HE MUST DEPART SANTIAGO NLT JAN 27.

2. MEXICANS MAY CONCEIVABLY BE EQUATING RIOS WITH GUILD LEADERS SUCH AS LEON VILARIN OF TRUCKERS, WHO WAS TURNED DOWN FOR VISA SOME MONTHS AGO. IN POINT OF FACT RIOS IS A LONG-TIME LEGITIMATE TRADE UNION LEADER AND A CHRISTIAN DEMOCRAT. HE HAS RECENTLY BEEN QUOTED EXTENSIVELY IN CHILEAN PRESS IN STRONG CRITICISM OF LABOR POLICIES OF PRESENT GOC.

3. UNLESS OBJECTION PERCEIVED, WOULD APPRECIATE ASSISTANCE OF WALSH WITH APPROPRIATE GOM AUTHORITIES. BOTH RIOS HIMSELF AND LOCAL CRIT REP HAVE ASKED FOR THIS HELP. THOMPSON

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